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**SUBJECT:** Patent Application  
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**Title:** System and Method for Performing Conflict Resolution and Flow  
Control in a Multiprocessor System  
**File No:** RA 5469  
**Customer Number:** 27516

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Enclosed herewith are the following papers comprising an application for patent as identified above:

1. Specification (41 pages)
2. Claims (9 pages)
3. Formal Drawings (6 pages)
4. Declaration and Power of Attorney
5. Assignment of Invention
6. Assignment Coversheet
7. Request & Certification Under 35 USC 122(b)(2)(B)(i)

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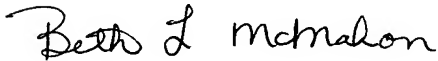
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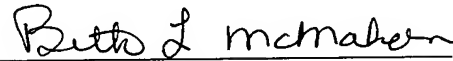
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	Title	System and Method for Performing Conflict Resolution and Flow Control in a Multiprocessor System
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